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Amendments to the Claims

Without prejudice or disclaimer, this listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listing of claims in this application.

1-18 (Cancelled)

19. (Previously presented) The method of Claim 145 wherein said composition is administered to said woman for at least six months.

20-144 (Cancelled)

145. (Previously presented) A method for reducing the likelihood of incurring or developing estrogen-dependent breast cancer in a post-menopausal woman diagnosed as being in need of such therapy which comprises administering orally to said woman a once-daily dose of a pharmaceutical composition wherein said composition comprises about 60 mg of the hydrochloride salt of a compound of the formula

- 146. (Previously presented) The method of claim 145 wherein said composition is administered to said woman chronically.
- 147. (Currently amended) The method of claim 145 wherein said incurrence or development of breast cancer is in the first instance de-novo.
- 148. (Currently amended) The method of claim 146 wherein said incurrence or development of breast cancer is in the first instance de novo.
- 149. (Previously presented) The method of claim 145 wherein said woman is at increased risk of incurring or developing breast cancer.
- 150. (Previously presented) The method of claim 146 wherein said woman is at increased risk of incurring or developing breast cancer.

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- 151. (Previously presented) The method of claim 147 wherein said woman is at increased risk of incurring or developing breast cancer.
- 152. (Previously presented)The method of claim 148 wherein said woman is at increased risk of incurring or developing breast cancer.